



FRUITING BRANCHES OF THE CHE TREE (*CUDRANIA TRICUSPIDATA* (CARR.) BUREAU).  
(S. P. I. No. 35258.) SLIGHTLY LESS THAN NATURAL SIZE.

Unlike the Osage orange (*Toxylon pomiferum* or *Maclura aurantiaca*), to which this is related, its pink fruits are edible and though not of good quality are keenly relished by stock. The plant is spiny and can be used for hedges, and being smaller may prove to have an advantage over the Osage orange for garden-hedge purposes. A hybrid between it and the Osage orange has already been produced. It appears to be hardy as far north as Washington. Photographed by Bisset, (P10356FS), November 7, 1912, Atlanta, Ga.